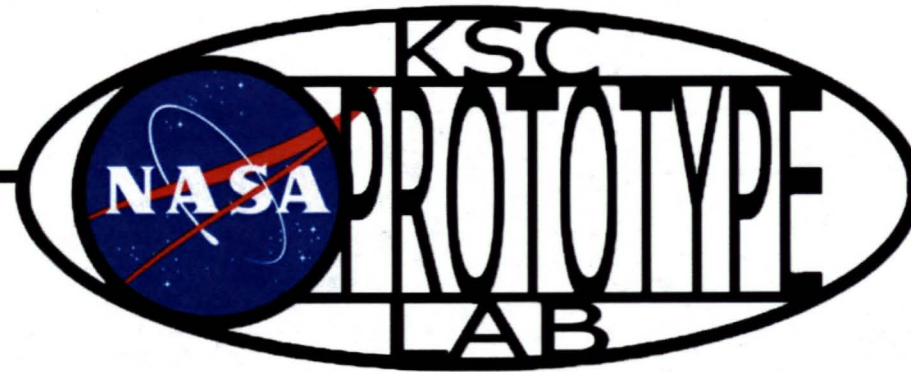




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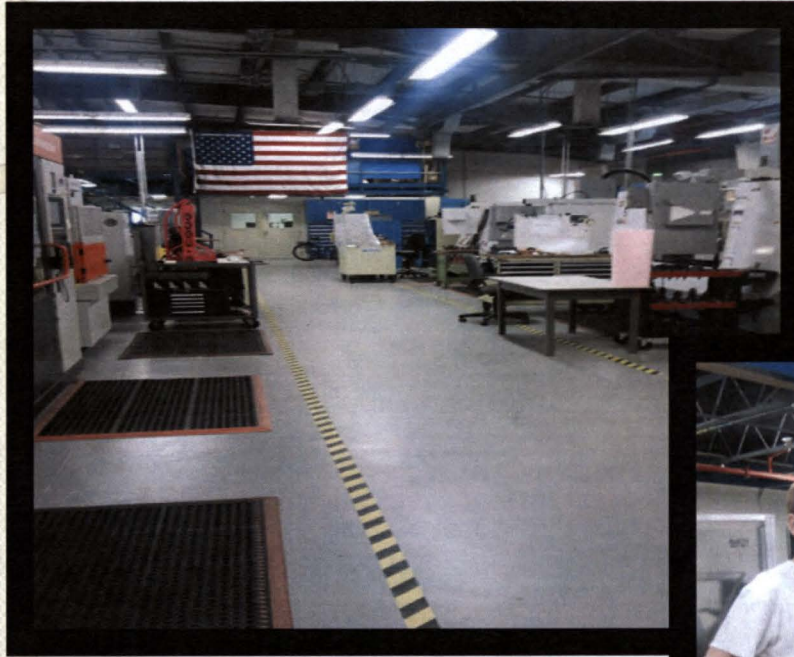
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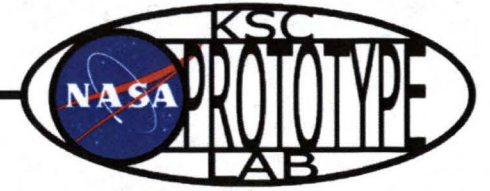
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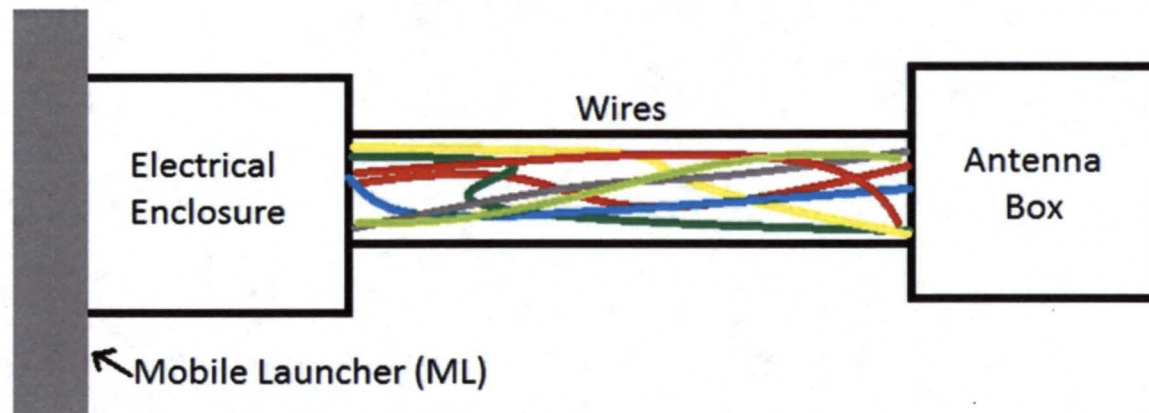
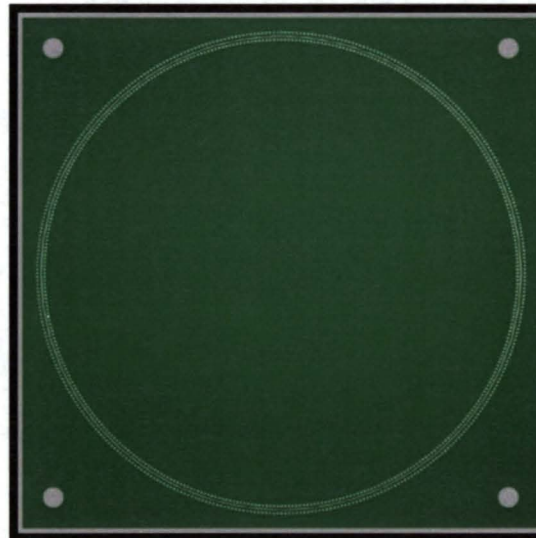


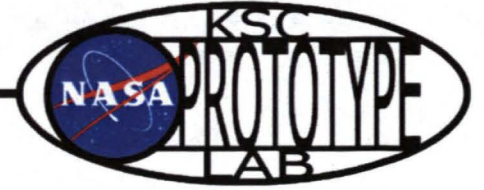
My Projects

- WX B-Dot Antenna Enclosure Mount
- MLAS Data Acquisition Prototype Mounting Plates
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B-Dot Antenna Enclosure

WX B-Dot Antenna

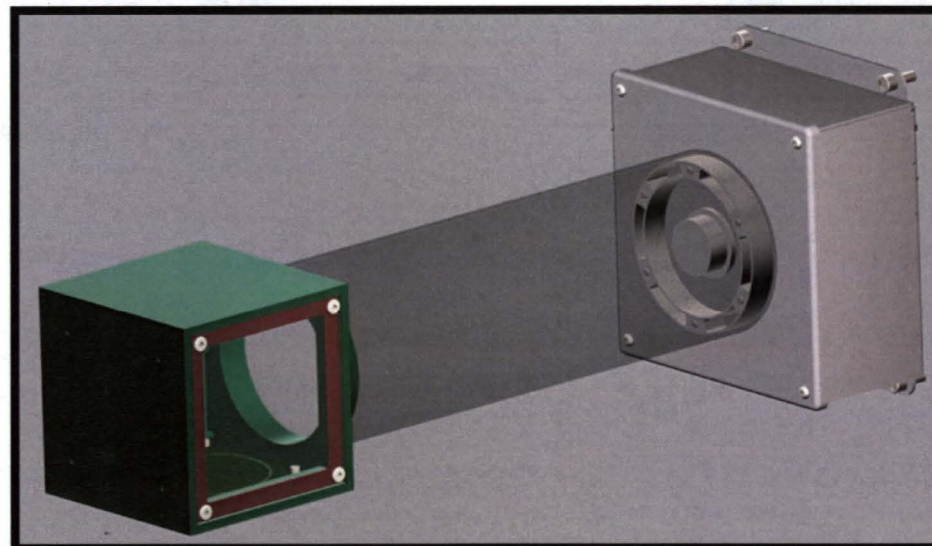
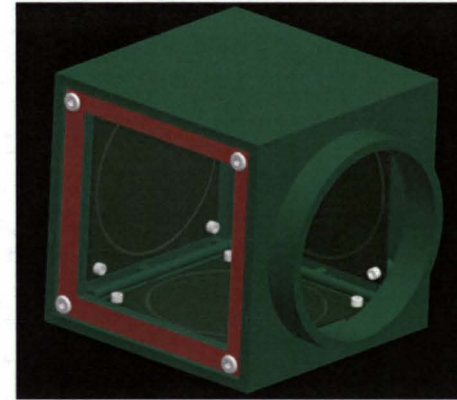
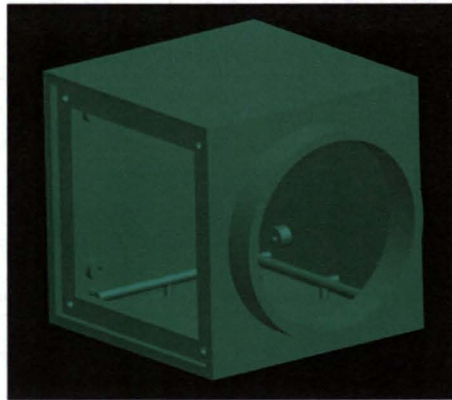




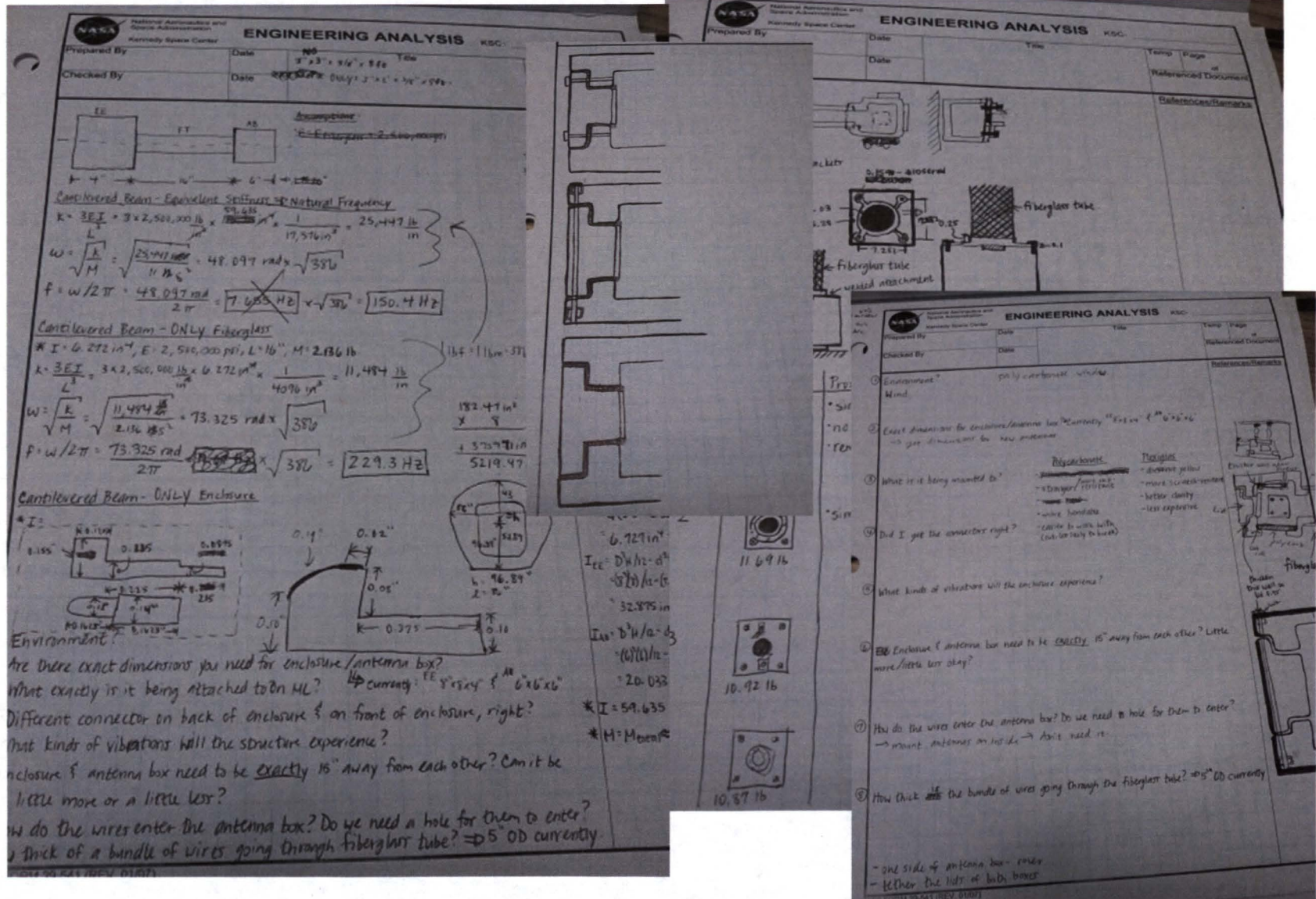
B-Dot Antenna Enclosure: Requirements

- Central axes of the three antennas must intersect at a point
- Antenna box must be at least 15" away from anything conductive
- Antenna box cannot use fasteners requiring tethering
- Must be durable in an outside environment
- Must have emergency access to antennas
- Antenna box must have tie-down points for wires

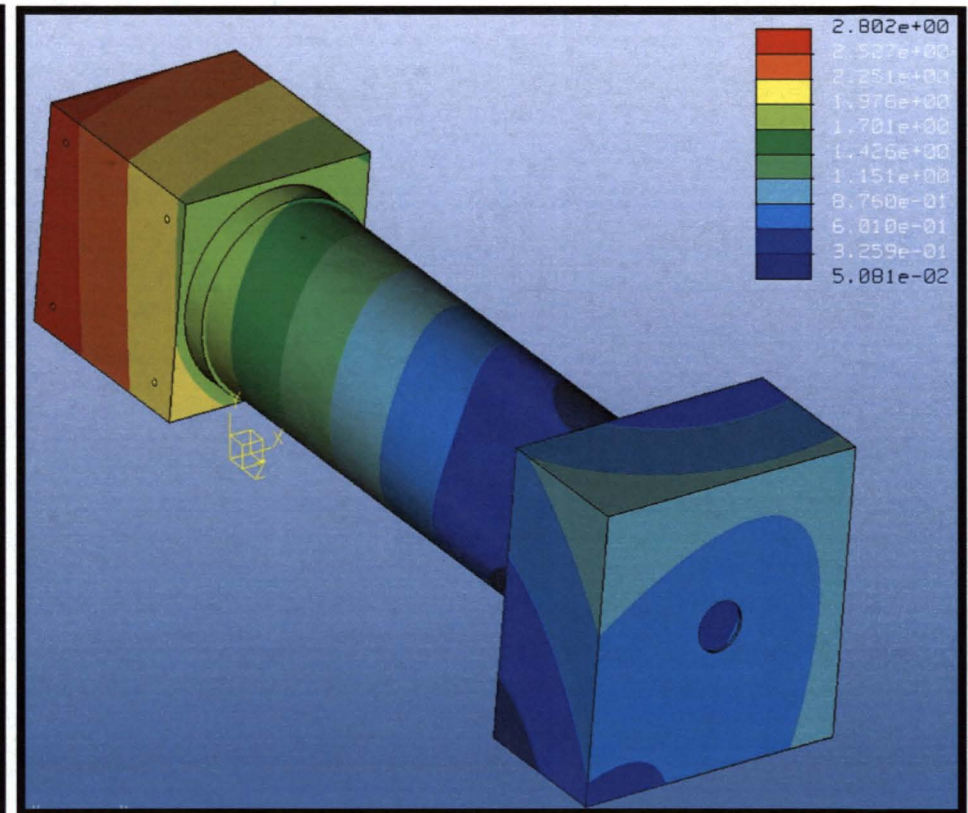
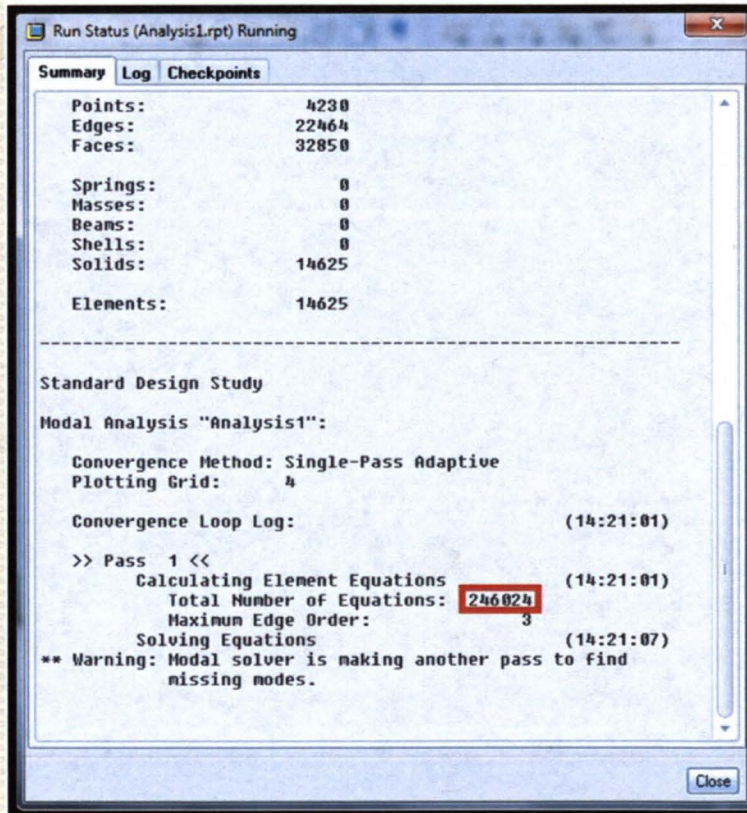
B-Dot Antenna Enclosure: Chosen Design Concept

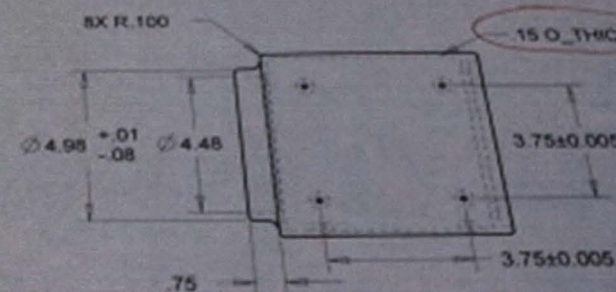
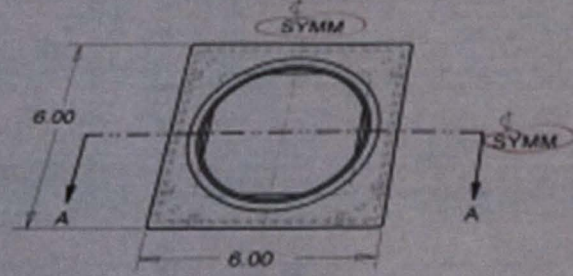
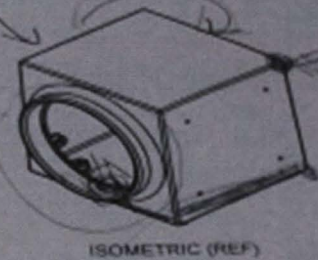
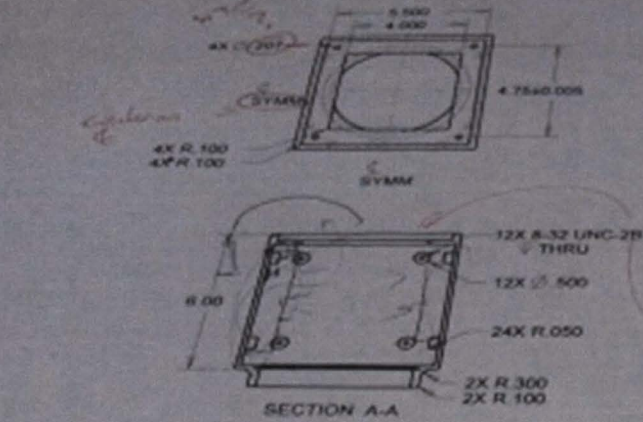


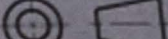
B-Dot Antenna Enclosure: Hand Calculations



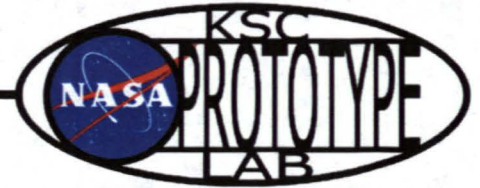
B-Dot Antenna Enclosure: Finite Element Analysis (FEA)





CAD MAINTAINED CHANGES SHALL BE INCORPORATED ONLY BY THE DESIGN ACTIVITY.		UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED DIMENSIONS ARE IN INCHES INTERPRET DIMENSIONS AND TOLERANCES PER ASME Y14.5M-1994 TOLERANCES ON		ORIGINAL DATE OF DRAWING (YY/MM/DD) 13/02/05		JOHN F. KENNEDY KENNEDY S	
SOFTWARE PRO/ENGINEER		FRACTIONS	DECIMALS	ANGLES	DESIGNED BY P J THAKRAR	CHECKED BY A DOKOS	WX B-DOT ANT
TITLE ANTENNA_BOX		± 1/16	1 PL: .060 2 PL: .030 3 PL: .010	1 PL: .1	ENGINEER	STRESS	
MATERIAL ABS		THIRD ANGLE PROJECTION			P J THAKRAR		C 22264
HEAT TREATMENT					T STEINROCK		
PAINT PROTECTIVE FINISH					APPROVED		SCALE 0.350
NEXT ASSY USED ON		APPLICATION					

NEXT ASSY USED ON		T STEINROCK		C 22264		INTERPRET TOLERANCES		CONCEPT 4 ASSEMBLY		2 PL: .030 3 PL: .010		P J THAKRAR	
APPLICATION						± 1/16		NEXT ASSY USED ON		THIRD ANGLE PROJECTION		T STEINROCK	
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B-Dot Antenna Enclosure: Parts List

Parts List

WX B-Dot Antenna Enclosure Mount

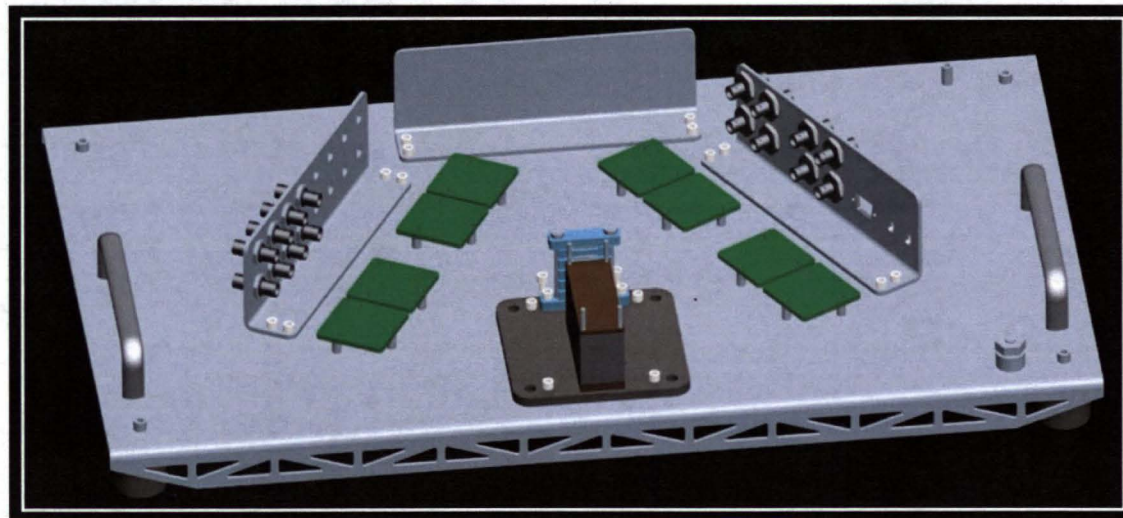
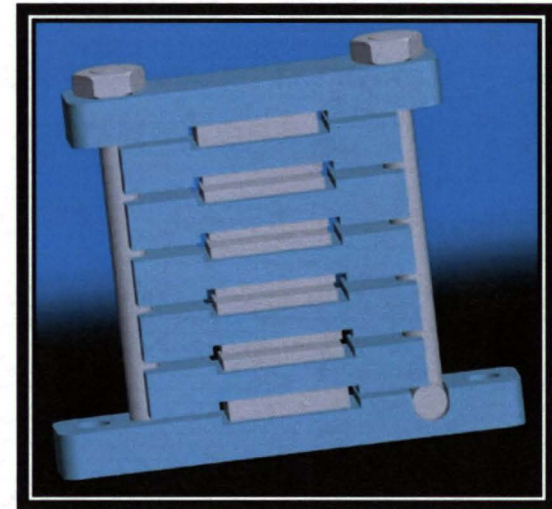
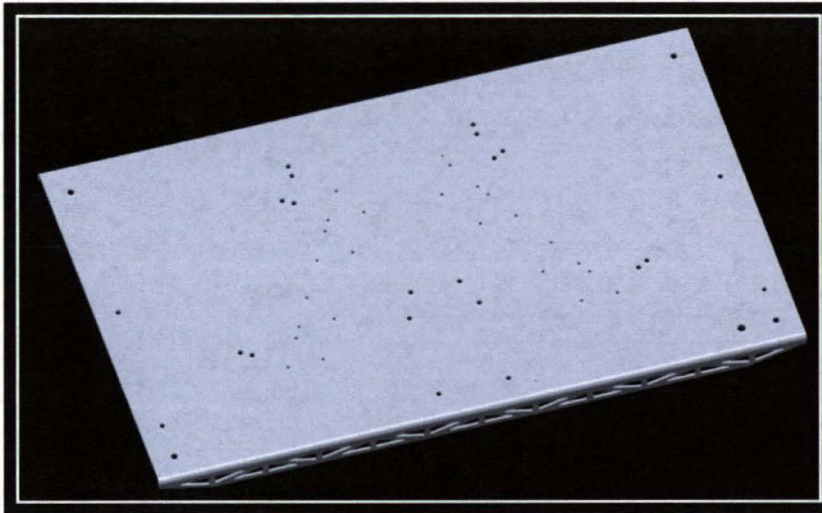
Cage Code	Item	Qty	Unit	Materials	
				Unit Cost	Total
4S6H8	Pack of 1 Fullcure 705 Support Resin 3.6Kg	1	ea.	\$ 468.00	\$ 468.00
4S6H8	Pack of 1 Fullcure 835, VeroWhitePlus, 3.6Kg	1	ea.	\$ 1,011.00	\$ 1,011.00
1FEX9	Fiberglass Round Tube, 5" ID x 5.3" OD x 240" (P/N: 100)	1	ea.	\$ 1,310.00	\$ 1,310.00
1WSN4	Hoffman Electrical Enclosure 8" x 8" x 4" (P/N: A808SC)	1	ea.	-	-
0KVE6	316 Stainless Steel Socket Head 10-32 x 7/8" Screw (P/N: 92185A960)	1	pkg.	\$ 9.54	\$ 9.54
0KVE6	Glass-Filled Nylon Socket Head 8-32 x 0.5" Screw (P/N: 91221A445)	2	pkg.	\$ 6.56	\$ 13.12
0KVE6	Plastic Blind Rivets 0.197" Dia. - 0.512" Lg. (P/N: 90219A045)	1	pkg.	\$ 12.22	\$ 12.22
0KVE6	Plastic Blind Rivet Tool (P/N: 97540A210)	1	ea.	\$ 54.44	\$ 54.44
0KVE6	Scratch and UV Resistant Polycarbonate 1/8" x 12" x 12" (P/N: 8707K111)	1	ea.	\$ 19.24	\$ 19.24
0KVE6	Ultra-Strength Silicone Rubber Sheet 1/16" x 12" x 12" (P/N: 5787T11)	1	ea.	\$ 13.66	\$ 13.66
0KVE6	316 Stainless Steel No. 10 Washers (P/N: 90107A011)	1	pkg.	\$ 3.85	\$ 3.85
0KVE6	Nylon No. 8 Washers (P/N: 90295A400)	1	pkg.	\$ 5.35	\$ 5.35
Grand Total				\$ 2,913.86	\$ 2,920.42

B-Dot Antenna Enclosure: Parts!



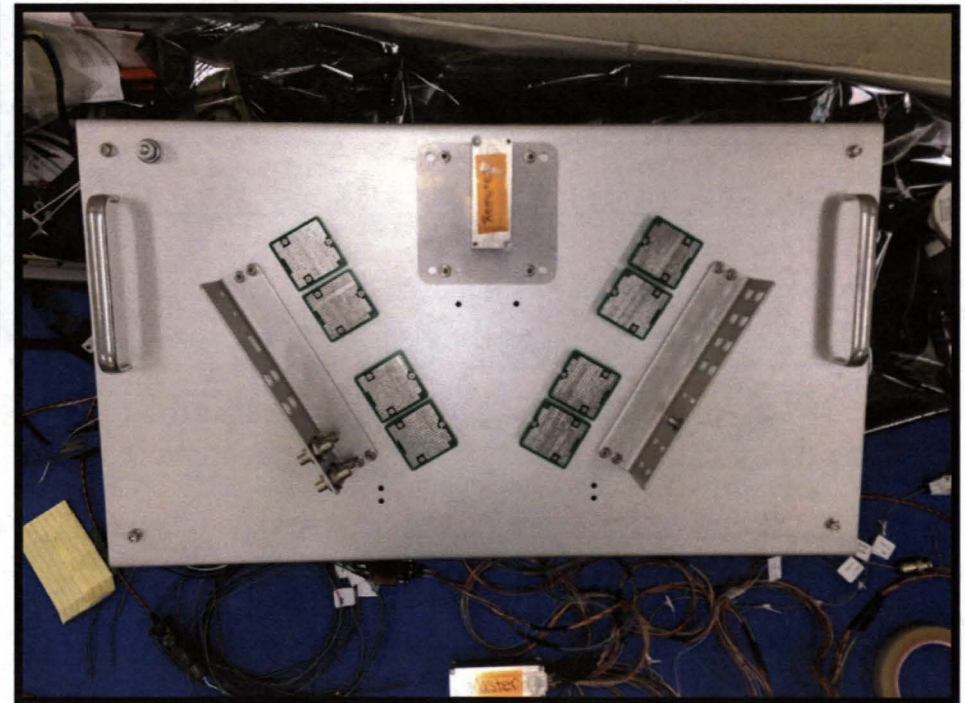
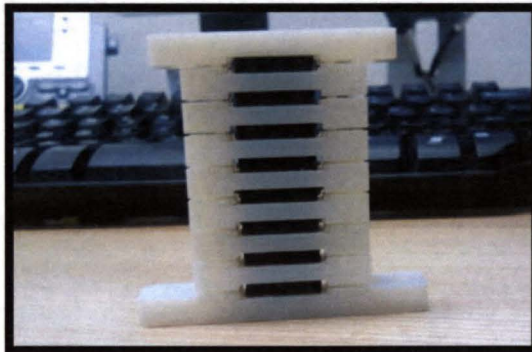
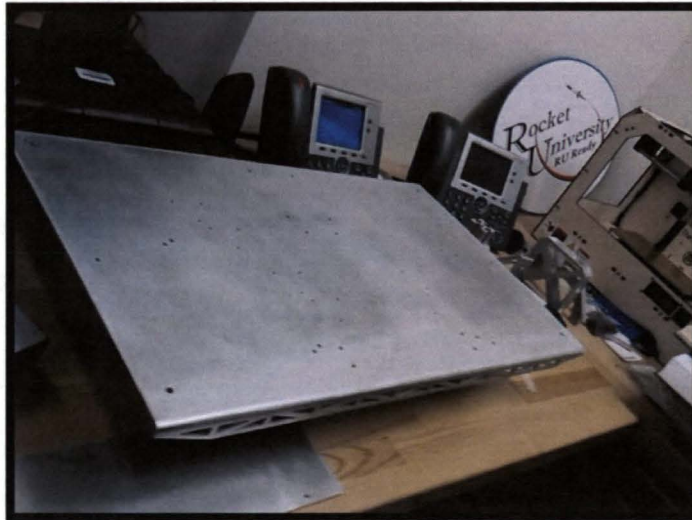
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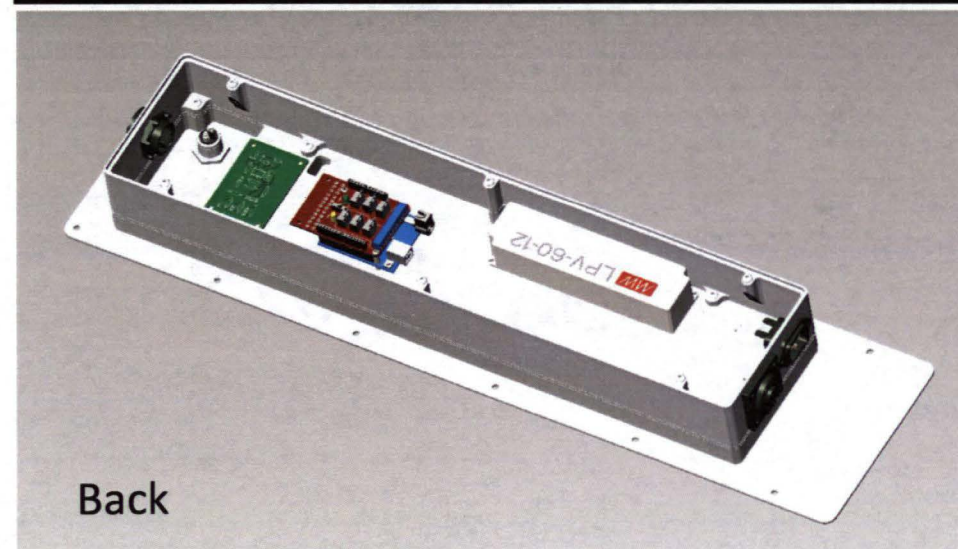
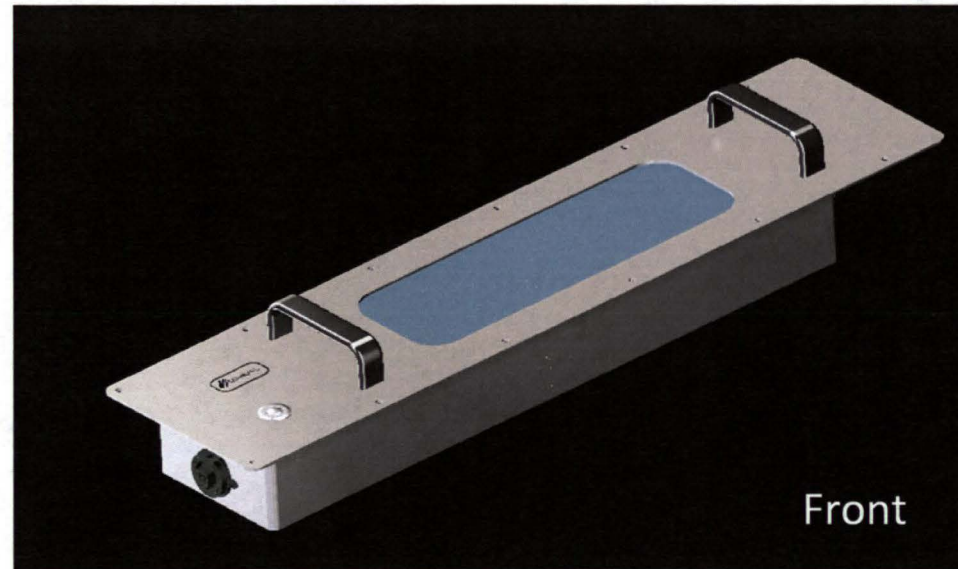
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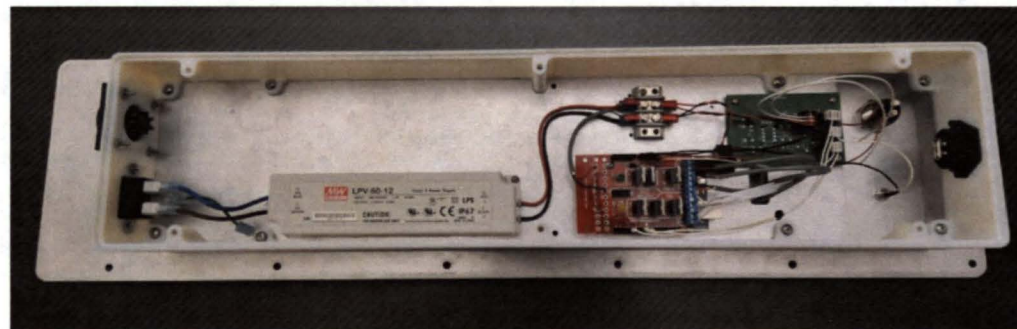
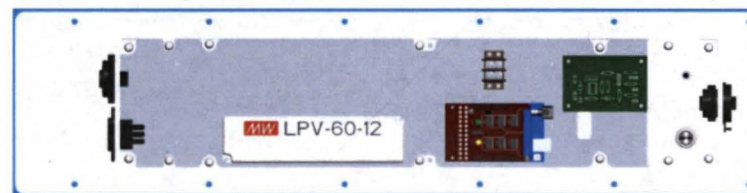
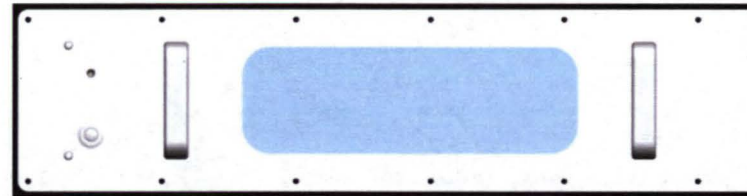
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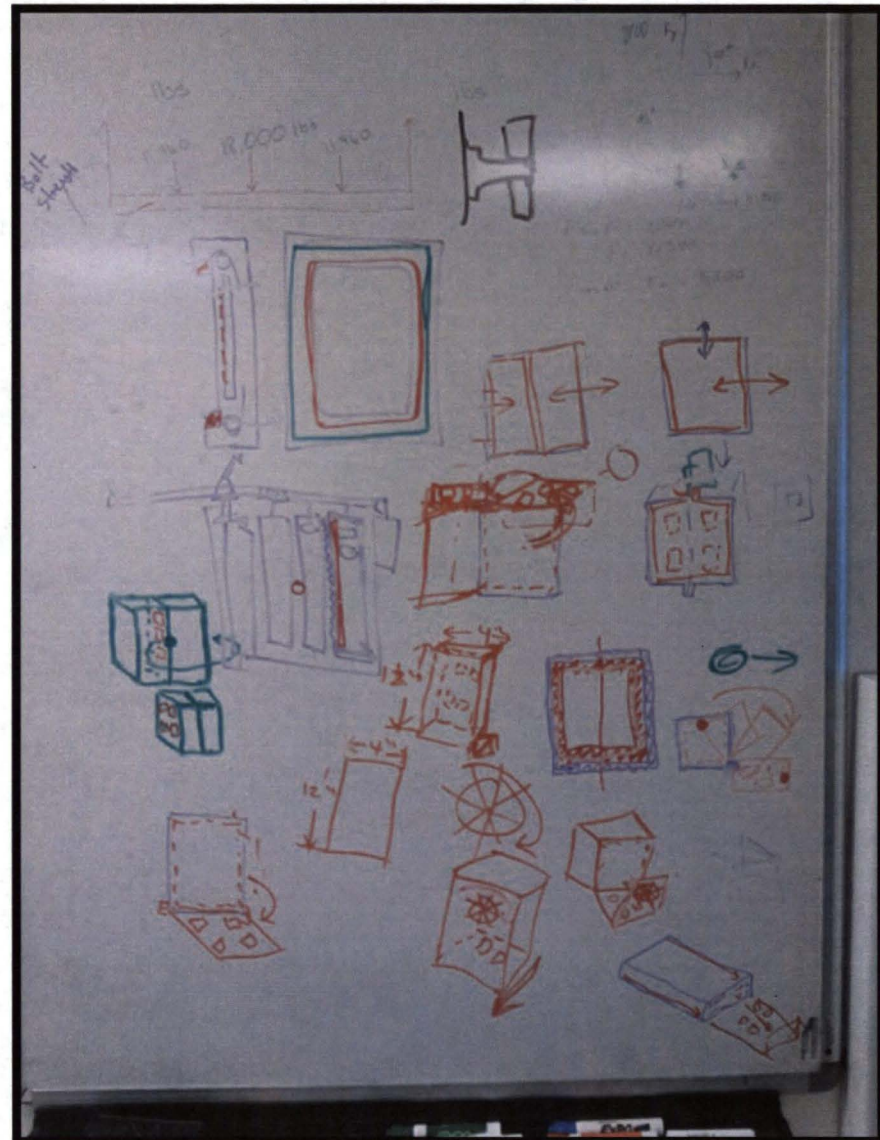
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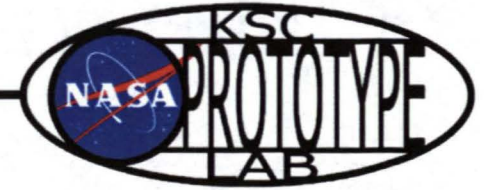
Core Module



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Coupon:





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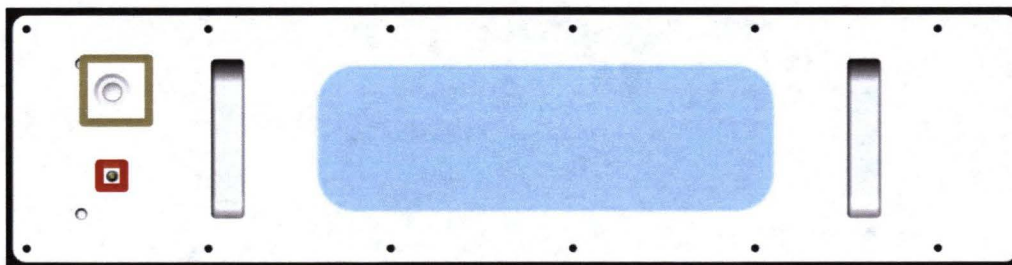
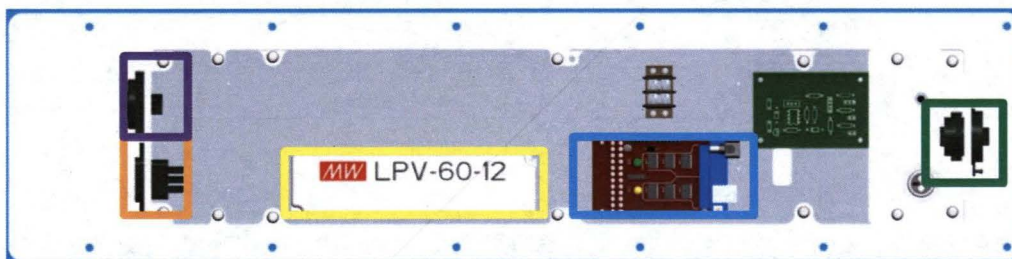
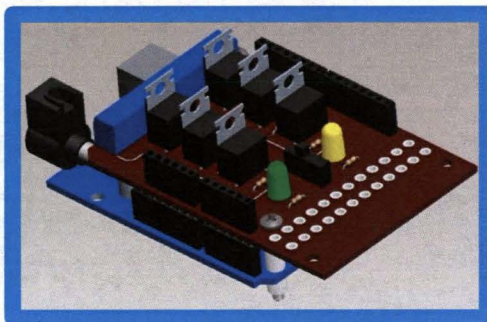
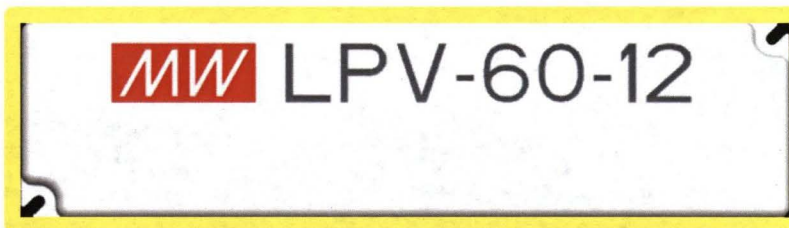
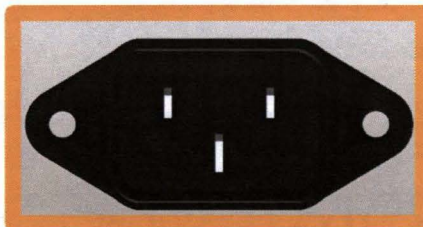
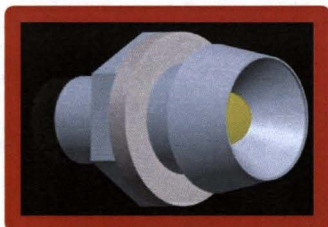
Kepner-Tregoe Matrix

		A			B			C			D			E		
Objectives		Alternative A			Alternative B			Alternative C			Alternative D			Alternative E		
MIST Box Designs		Drawer			Sliding Door			Swinging Door			Rotating Strips			Belt		
Musts:		Must Information	Go	No Go	Must Information	Go	No Go	Must Information	Go	No Go	Must Information	Go	No Go	Must Information	Go	No Go
Hold a Radiometer in Center of Coupon Array			X			X			X			X			X	
Enclose the Coupon Array Completely			X			X			X			X			X	
Meets Ultimate Stress Requirements			X			X			X			X			X	
Wants:	Weight	Want Information	Score	Wt. Score	Want Information	Score	Wt. Score	Want Information	Score	Wt. Score	Want Information	Score	Wt. Score	Want Information	Score	Wt. Score
(Score: Best = 10, Others relative to the Best)				261			245			263			230			179
Maximize ...																
Maximize Sealing out Light	10		10	100		10	100		10	100		8	80		6	60
Maximize Sun Exposure When Open	9		8	72		6	54		7	63		10	90		5	45
Minimize Shading																
Maximize Simplicity of Door Mechanism	5		9	45		9	45		10	50		4	20		6	30
Minimizing Components								Doesn't need rails								
Minimizing Chance of Door Not Closing Properly																
Maximize Ease of Assembly	4		9	36		9	36		10	40		5	20		5	20
								Doesn't need rails								
Minimize Size	2		4	8		5	10		5	10		10	20		8	16
Minimize Size When Door is Open					Door is Pulled out											
					Avoiding Shadowing by Increasing Length											
Best Radiometer Exposure				8			8			8			8			8

Modeling!



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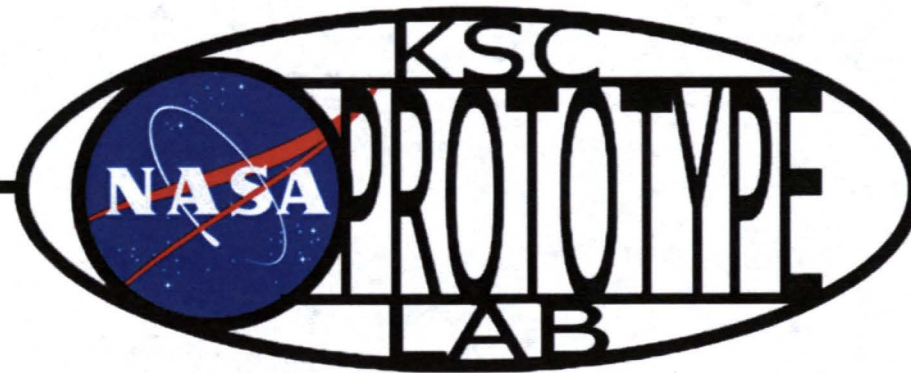


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Thank you!



Questions?

